

THE CANADIAN AMATEUR RADIO OPERATORS' ASSOCIATION

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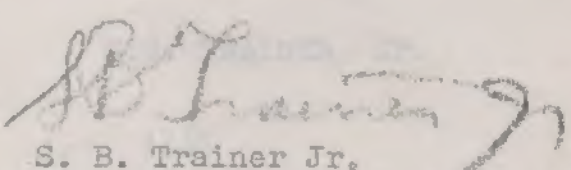
GETTING BACK ON!

The following communication was sent to the Department of Transport, Ottawa, by the Canadian Amateur Radio Operators' Association, November 13th: -

"May we assist your department in informing amateurs re November 15th band releases query our journal XTAL will be off press to-morrow to be sent to all amateurs but we would be glad to include an insert which we can provide stop questions being asked are one what procedure is to be followed when amateurs now reside in different districts query two is mobile operation permitted query three what information should be sent to local inspectors by amateurs in outlying districts to obtain authorization query please advise any other information pertinent stop we shall be glad to co-operate in any capacity please wire if we may assist."

The following wire was received to-day from the Department: -

"Answer to your questions one make written request to this office for call signs giving full particulars location station equipment etc. two mobile operation is permitted but authorization must first be obtained from District Inspector or this office three advise district inspector they wish to resume operations giving location and particulars stop suggest you emphasize fee not required when licence reinstated for balance of fiscal year and that call sign will be the same used in 1939 where station located in same district your cooperation appreciated."

  
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Vice President

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BULLETIN

Just after XTAL went to press, the news broke about the resumption of activities on November 15. To date, we have been able to gather the following information;

1. The following frequencies are opened to amateurs as of 3 a.m. E.S.T., Thursday, 15th November, 1945; 28-29.7, 56-60, 144-148, 2300-2450, 5250-5650, 10000-10500 and 21000-22000 (all in megacycles).
2. Before going on the air, operators must contact the nearest Government Radio Inspector by phone or letter and obtain permission. Description of equipment must be given.
3. Licences in force immediately prior to the war are automatically re-instated until March 31, 1946. No fee is required. The same call may be used, provided the operator is living in the same call area.
4. Operators living outside the districts in which they were licenced in 1939 may not go on the air until they have written to the Department of Transport, Radio Division, Ottawa, and have had a new call assigned. A full description of equipment should be included.
5. Mobile operation is permitted after authorization has been obtained from the nearest Radio Inspector.
6. For the time being, any type of emission may be used anywhere in the above bands.
7. The 56-60 megacycle band is temporary only and may be shifted to 50-54 mc. next spring.

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Jan 16/46    420-430    1215-1295  
March 13    50-54    27.185 - 455    235-240  
Apr 1    3.5-4    (wide open May 21)  
Nov 1    7-7.3    140-44